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# OTHER MATTERS

## Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Populations

Note by the secretariat

The present note contains the recommendations adopted by the Board of Trustees of the United Nations Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Populations at its thirteen session, held in Geneva from 10 to 12 April 2000. These recommendations were approved by the High Commissioner for Human Rights on behalf of the Secretary-General on 13 April 2000.

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1. At its thirteenth session, held in Geneva from 10 to 12 April 2000, the Board of Trustees of the United Nations Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Populations examined, at six meetings, information prepared by the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) concerning applications for new travel grants, the financial situation of the Fund, contributions paid by Governments, NGOs and individuals and the implementation by the secretariat of the Board and Fund of the recommendations adopted in 1999 by the Board at its twelfth session and approved by the High Commissioner for Human Rights on behalf of the Secretary-General.

Mandate of the Fund

2. Convinced that the establishment of a voluntary trust fund would constitute a significant development for the future promotion and protection of the human rights of indigenous populations, the General Assembly established the United Nations Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Populations by resolution 40/131 of 13 December 1985. The purpose of the Fund is to assist representatives of indigenous communities and organizations to participate in the deliberations of the Working Group on Indigenous Populations of the Sub-Commission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights by providing them with financial assistance funded by means of voluntary contributions from Governments, non-governmental organizations and other private or public entities (see annex I, "Criteria for selection of beneficiaries").

3. The General Assembly extended the mandate of the Fund by resolution 50/156 of 21 December 1995 by deciding that the Fund should also be used to assist representatives of indigenous communities and organizations to participate in the deliberations of the open-ended inter-sessional working group of the Commission on Human Rights established by the Commission in its resolution 1995/32, as endorsed by the Economic and Social Council on 25 July 1995.

4. The General Assembly again extended the mandate of the Fund by resolution 53/130 of 9 December 1998 by deciding that the Fund should also be used to assist representatives of indigenous communities and organizations to participate in the deliberations of the open-ended inter-sessional ad hoc working group of the Commission on Human Rights established by the Commission in its resolution 1998/20, as endorsed by the Economic and Social Council in its decision 1998/247 of 30 July 1998.

Board of Trustees

5. The mandate of the Board is to advise the Secretary-General on the administration of the Fund, through the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights. The Board is composed of five persons with relevant experience in issues affecting indigenous populations, who serve in their personal capacity as United Nations experts. The Board members are appointed by the Secretary-General for a three-year term, renewable in consultation with the current Chairman of the Sub-Commission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights. At least one member shall be a representative of a widely recognized organization of indigenous populations.

6. The five members who have been appointed by the Secretary-General for a three-year renewable term ending on 31 December 2002, with due regard for equitable geographical distribution and in consultation with the current Chairman of the Sub-Commission, are

themselves indigenous experts: Mr. Michael Dodson (Australia), Ms. Naomi N. Kipuri (Kenya), Mr. José Carlos Morales Morales (Costa Rica), Ms. Tove S. Petersen (Greenland/Denmark) and Ms. Victoria Tauli-Corpuz (Philippines, Chairperson).

Beneficiaries

7. The criteria for the selection of beneficiaries have been established by the General Assembly, the Commission on Human Rights, as well as by the Secretary-General upon recommendations of the Board of Trustees (see annex I).

Thirteenth session of the Board of Trustees

8. The thirteenth session of the Board of Trustees of the Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Populations was held at the Palais Wilson in Geneva from 10 to 12 April 2000. The Board held six private meetings.

9. The Board noted with satisfaction that all recommendations adopted at its twelfth session in 1999 had been implemented by its secretariat (see E/CN.4/Sub.2/AC.4/1999/6).

10. The list of contributions available for the thirteenth session of the Board are listed in annex II.

11. The Board considered at its thirteenth session:

(a) 119 applications for grants to cover travel and per diem expenses for indigenous representatives to attend the eighteenth session of the Sub-Commission's Working Group on Indigenous Populations from 24 to 28 July 2000; and

(b) 36 applications for grants to cover travel and per diem expenses for indigenous representatives to attend the sixth session of the working group established by the Commission on Human Rights in its resolution 1995/32 to elaborate a draft United Nations declaration on the rights of indigenous peoples, from 16 to 27 October 2000.

Recommendations for grants

12. After having examined the applications in light of the selection criteria (see annex I), the Board recommended the following:

(a) 66 grants to representatives of indigenous communities and organizations (23 women and 43 men) to allow them to attend the Working Group on Indigenous Populations, for a total amount of about US$ 163,000;

(b) 29 grants to representatives of indigenous communities and organizations (7 women and 22 men) to attend the working group to elaborate the draft United Nations declaration on the rights of indigenous peoples, for a total amount of about US$ 102,200;

(c) Sufficient funds (amounting to a minimum of US$ 100,000) for grants to allow indigenous representatives to attend a possible new meeting on the Permanent Forum, pending adoption of the relevant resolution by the General Assembly, which could extend the mandate of the Fund (see para. 4 above), applicants must comply with the criteria adopted by the Board. Priority should in this case be given to beneficiaries who participated in the first and second sessions of the ad hoc working group on the establishment of a permanent forum in 1999 and 2000, the members of the Board who will be in Geneva in October 2000 will meet briefly to consider applications and adopt recommendations.

13. The Board noted with satisfaction that the amount of grants allocated had increased since the beginning of the International Decade of the World's Indigenous People in 1995 owing to an increase in contributions received and an increase in the number of satisfactory applications for funding (see annex V, "Grants allocated per Working Group" and annex VI, "Grants allocated 1995-2000").

Participation in the session of a working group

14. The secretariat and members of the Board attending a working group will meet with the beneficiaries and remind them of the requirement that they should attend and participate in all meetings of the working group.

15. During the sessions of the working groups, the secretariat will again organize a meeting with indigenous representatives to explain how to apply for grants from the Fund.

Fund-raising

16. The Board met with representatives of donor Governments. The members expressed their gratitude and appreciation for the donors' generous contributions. They recommended a sustained effort and, if possible, an increase in their contributions. The Board was encouraged by even symbolic contributions as an expression of interest in the participation of indigenous populations. The Board invited donor Governments to continue to meet with the Board during its annual session at appropriate times to discuss issues of common concern.

17. Board members recommended to the High Commissioner for Human Rights to send a letter of appeal to all Governments for additional contributions to be paid by the end of the year 2000, in order to allow the Board to increase further the number of grants and the representation of indigenous communities and organizations in 2001.

18. The Board recommended that the Bureau of the Commission on Human Rights at its next meeting in the year 2001 should again invite the Chairperson or any other member of the Board who could be in Geneva during the session of the Commission to introduce the report on the Board's thirteenth session, comment on the implementation of the Board's recommendations, describe the needs of the Fund and appeal to interested donors for new contributions.

Annex I

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION OF BENEFICIARIES

1. According to General Assembly resolution 40/131, the only beneficiaries of assistance from the Fund shall be representatives of indigenous populations' organizations and communities

(a) Who are so considered by the Board of Trustees,

(b) Who would not, in the opinion of the Board, be able to attend the sessions of the working groups without the assistance provided by the Fund,

(c) Who would be able to contribute to a deeper knowledge on the part of the working groups of the problems affecting indigenous populations and who would secure a broad geographical representation

2. According to Commission on Human Rights resolution 1995/32, in addition, organizations must be in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council or be authorized by the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations of the Council to attend the working groups of the Commission on Human Rights

3. Further, the Board has developed the following practice and guidelines which have been approved by the Secretary-General

(a) The representatives applying for a grant should be indigenous and the organizations nominating them should also be indigenous organizations,

(b) The Board selects both representatives who have never participated in a session of a working group and representatives who have already participated and could develop specialized capacity and strengthen the core group of participants in a working group,

(c) The Board considers a maximum of two applicants per organization,

(d) The Board does not consider applicants who do not provide a letter of support signed by an executive official or body of their indigenous organization (self-supporting letters will not be considered nor an applicant who is not an indigenous person),

(e) Applicants are requested to fill out, sign and date their application forms and to attach a letter of recommendation by their organization. The applications and attachments must be submitted in one of the working languages of the Board's secretariat (English, French or Spanish). Applications received in another official language of the United Nations (Arabic, Chinese or Russian) will be returned to the applicants with the request that a translation in English, French or Spanish be re-submitted to the Board's secretariat. Applications and letters of recommendation in languages other than English, French or Spanish, will not be considered by the Board of Trustees,

(f) The Board encourages indigenous organizations and communities to consider gender balance and, if possible, to present one woman and one man;

(g) The Board encourages indigenous organizations and communities to consider nominating young persons;

(h) The Board encourages the former beneficiaries of the OHCHR Indigenous Fellowship Programme to apply for grants to represent their indigenous organization or community at sessions of the working groups by sending duly completed application forms and meeting all the criteria for selection;

(i) Applicants are requested to indicate their responsibility in their organization or community;

(j) Applicants to attend the eighteenth session of the working group on Indigenous Populations have been requested to refer, in their statements, to the specific theme of the year which is "Indigenous children and youth".

Annex II

VOLUNTARY FUND FOR INDIGENOUS POPULATIONS

I. Contributions available for the thirteenth session of the Board of Trustees in April 2000[a]

| State | Amount (US$) | Geneva/ New York | Paid on |
|---|---|---|---|
| Canada | 10 194 | GVA | 29.06.1999 |
| Cyprus | 2 009 | GVA | 15.03.2000 |
| Denmark | 40 000 | GVA | 24.06.1999 |
| | 40 000 | GVA | 11.04.2000 |
| Estonia | 9 596 | GVA | 10.01.2000 |
| Finland | 34 062 | GVA | 23.03.2000 |
| Greece | 6 300 | GVA | 15.04.1999 |
| Holy See | 1 000 | GVA | 31.12.1999 |
| Japan | 13 000 | NY | 29.02.2000 |
| Norway | 49 862 | GVA | 30.12.1999 |
| Switzerland | 8 750 | GVA | 26.01.2000 |
| | 13 125 | GVA | 26.01.2000 |

| NGOs and individuals | Amount (US$) | Geneva/ New York | Paid on |
|---|---|---|---|
| A.T.S.I.C. | 13 060 | GVA | 20.07.1999 |
| Shimin Gaikou Centre | 1 500 | GVA | 14.04.1999 |
| | 1 500 | | 17.03.2000 |
| Mr. Daniel Prémont | 120 | GVA | 27.03.2000 |
| Total: 244 078 | | | |

[a] According to Official Receipt vouchers available at OHCHR.

II. Pledges made

| State | Amount (US$) | Pledged in Geneva/New York | Pledged on |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bolivia | 1 000 | NY | 2-3.11.1999 |
| Chile | 5 000 | NY | 2-3.11.1999 |
| Total: 6 000 | | | |

Annex III

# LIST OF BENEFICIARIES RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES TO ATTEND THE EIGHTEENTH SESSION OF THE WORKING GROUP ON INDIGENOUS POPULATIONS
(24-28 JULY 2000)

| Name of Representative[a] | Organization | Indigenous populations represented[b] | City, State[c] |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mohamed Ikarbane (m) | Mouvement culturel berbère | Berbères | Tizi-Wezzu, Algeria |
| Sabrina Nouri (f) | Association pour le développement TIGMI | Amazigh (Berbère) | Tizi-Ouzou, Algeria |
| Megan Davis (f) | Faira Foundation Aboriginal Islander Research Action | South East Queensland Aboriginal groups: Wakka Wakka, Gubbi Gubbi and Yugambeh | Woollongabba, Australia |
| Liton Bom (m) | Chin Human Rights Organization | Chin | Bandarban, Bangladesh |
| Loyal David Hauheng (m) | Bawm Indigenous Peoples' Organization | Bawm, Lushai, Pangkhua, Khiang, Khumi and Chak | Chittagong, Bangladesh |
| Jiten Chakma (m) | Chittagong Hill Tracts Students Council (PCP) | 10 multilingual ethnic minorities in the Chittagong Hill Tracts | Dhaka, Bangladesh |
| Niranjana Chakma (f) | Hill Women's Federation (HWF) | Populations in the Chittagong Hill Tracts including the Chakma, Marma, Tripura, Murang, Hajong, Lusai and Panco. | Dhaka, Bangladesh |
| Mrinal Kanti Tripura (m) | Parbatya Chattagram Jana Samhati Samiti (PCJSS) | 11 ethnic groups including the Chakma, Marma, Tripura, Chak, Bowm, Khiang, Khumit. | Khagrachari, Bangladesh |

| Name of Representative[a] | Organization | Indigenous populations represented[b] | City, State[c] |
|---|---|---|---|
| Maria Eugenia Choque Quispe (f) | Taller de historia oral Andina | Populations in La Paz, Oruro and Potosí | La Paz, Bolivia |
| Moises Gutierrez Rojas (m) | Movimiento Revolucionario Tupaq Katari de Liberación (MRTKL) | Aymara, Quechua, Chaco of Bolivia | La Paz, Bolivia |
| Edina Silva de Souza (f) | Fundaçao Araporã | Guarani Kaiwá and Ñandeva | Dourados, Araraquara, Brazil |
| Saoudata Aboubacrine (f) | Tin Hinane | Tuareg | Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso |
| Fadimatou Dahirou (f) | Mbororo Social and Cultural Development Association of Cameroon (MBOSCUDA) | Mbororo | Yaounde, Cameroon |
| Daniel Ashini (m) | Innu Council of Nitassinan | Innu | Sheshatshiu, Labrador, Canada |
| Armand McKenzie (m) | " | " | Sept-Illes, Quebec, Canada |
| Emperatriz Cahuache Casado (f) | Organización de los pueblos indígenas de la Amazonia Colombiana | 52 indigenous populations (Guanano, Haitoto, Piratapuyo, etc.) | Bogotá, Colombia |
| Ricardo Aroca Aguja (m) | Asociación de Cabildos Indígenas del Tolima | Pijao, Timanaes, Panches and Paeces | Tolima, Colombia |
| Leonor Zalabata Torres (f) | Confederación indígena Tayrona (CIT) | Arhuaco and Kogi | Valledupar, Colombia |
| Stephan Ilundu Bulambo (m) | Programme d'intégration et de développement du peuple Pygmée au Kivu | Pygmies: Mbuti, Batwa, Babuluku, Barhwa, etc. | Bukavu, Democratic Republic of Congo |

| Name of Representative[a] | Organization | Indigenous populations represented[b] | City, State[c] |
|---|---|---|---|
| Brigitte Wingaarde (f) | Fédération des organisations amérindiennes de Guyane (FOAG) | Kali'na, Lokono, Teko, Wayanas, Wayapis, and Pahikweneh | Cayenne, French Guyana, France |
| Jebra Ram Muchahary (m) | Tribal Welfare Society | Tribal peoples in Assam (Bodo indigenous population) | Bijni, India |
| Suan Tung Parte (m) | Zo Re-Unification Organization (ZORO) | ZO indigenous peoples | Aizawl, India |
| Tarulata Kakoti (Majhi) (f) | Adivasi Socio-Education and Cultural Association | Santals and other Adivasis | Guwahati, India |
| Bineet Mundu (m) | Chotanagpur Adivasi Sewa Samiti | Adivasis of Chottanagpur region | New Delhi, India |
| Ferry Marisan (m) | The Institute for Human Rights Studies and Advocacy | West Papua Island (250 indigenous peoples groups) | Yayapura, Irian Jaya, Indonesia |
| Stephen S. Ole Timoi (m) | Duputo e Maa | Maasai | Kajiado, Kenya |
| Emmanuel Mariach Lousot (m) | Tomwo Integrated Pastoralist Development Initiatives (Tomwo, IPDI) | Pokot | Kapenguria, Kenya |
| David Yator Kiptum (m) | Sengwer Indigenous Development Project | Sengwer (Cherangany) | Kitale, Kenya |
| Francis Kiptarus Kipserem (m) | Sengwer Cherangany of Kenya | " | " |
| Chepkoech Ruth Kisabit (f) | Saboat community | Saboat | " |
| Johnson M.N. Ole Kaunga (m) | Org. for Survival of Il-Laikipiak Indigenous Maasai Group Initiatives (OSILIGI) | Laikipia Maasai | Nanyuki, Kenya |

| Name of Representative[a] | Organization | Indigenous populations represented[b] | City, State[c] |
|---|---|---|---|
| Margaret Lesuuda (f) | " | " | " |
| Ag Mohamed Habaye (m) | Tidawt ("vivre ensemble et autrement") | Touaregs | Nouakchott, Mauritania |
| Alvaro Eugenio Vazquez Juarez (m) | Asamblea de autoridades Zapotecas y Chinantecas de la Sierra | Zapoteca and Chinanteca | Oaxaca, Mexico |
| Mohamed Ait Ikkou (m) | Association nouvelle de la culture et des arts populaires - Tamaynut | Amazigh (Berbères) | Rabat, Morocco |
| Fatima Elwafi (f) | " | " | " |
| Laurentius Sebastianus Davids (m) | Khoekhoegowab Curriculum Committee | Khoekhoegowab speakers including the Nama, Damara and Haillom people | Okahandja, Namibia |
| Paul David Vogelsang (m) | Nama First Indigenous Peoples Forum | Namas | Keetmanshoop, Namibia |
| Katrina Vries (f) | " | " | " |
| Kxao Moses Coma (m) | Nyae Nyae Conservancy | Ju/'hoansi (San) | Windhoek, Namibia |
| Joram Uiseb (m) | Working Group of Indigenous Minorities of Southern Africa (WIMSA) | San | " |
| Kripa Ram Rai Kirati (m) | Nepal Indigenous Peoples Development and Information Service Centre (NIPDISC) | Rai/Kirati, Limbu, Gurung, Magar, Tamang | Kathmandu, Nepal |
| Tracey Whare (f) | Ngatira Lands Trust | Ngati Ahuru ( Ngati Raukawa) | Wellington, New Zealand |

| Name of Representative[a] | Organization | Indigenous populations represented[b] | City, State[c] |
|---|---|---|---|
| Taki Anaru (m) | Wellington Maori Legal Service | Maori | Wellington, New Zealand |
| Elhadji Ahmed Ouma (m) | Association Sahel, solidarité action (ASSA) | Tuareg | Agadez, Niger |
| Sada Albachir (f) | Association Tunfa-communauté Tuareg | " | " |
| Estebancio Castro Diaz (m) | Movimiento de la Juventud Kuna (M.J.K.) | Kuna | Panama, Panama |
| Luis Delgado Hurtado (m) | Yachay Wasi | Indigenous populations in Acopia and Ayallacta | Cuzco, Peru |
| Carlos Alberto Merlo Gutierrez (m) | Consejo Indio de Sud-America, CISA, Peru | Wankas, Wari, Cashinagua, Cashibo, Cacataibos, Shipibo, Conibo, Huacrachucos | Lima, Peru |
| Tomas Alarcon (m) | Comisión Juridica para el Autodesarrollo de los Pueblos Originarios Andinos (CAPAJ) | Aymara-Quechuas | Tacna, Peru |
| Pepito Moranos (m) | Lumad Mindanaw Peoples Federation (LMPF) | Lumad | Davao City, Philippines |
| Chito Balintay (m) | Pagkakaisa Ng Aeta Ng Pinatubo (PAP) | Aeta tribe | Zambales, Philippines |
| Tanitpasov Semen (m) | Altay peoples' Kurultay | Altay | Gorno, Russian Federation |
| Goulvaira Shermatova (f) | The Association of the Kumandin | Kumandin | Biisk, Russian Federation |
| Galina Tunekova (f) | Association of the Shor peoples | Shor | Tachtagol, Russian Federation |

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| Konstantin Robbek (m) | The Institute of problem of Northern Indigenous Peoples of Sakha Republic | Even, Evenk, Golgan, Chukchi, Yukagir. | Yakutsk, Russian Federation |
| Zephyrin Kalimba (m) | Association pour la promotion des Batwa (APB) | Batwa/Pygmies | Kigali, Rwanda |
| Marthe Muhawenimana (f) | Association pour la promotion des Batwa (APB)/Femmes Nsanabandi | Batwa | " |
| J. Claude Kalinganire (m) | Communauté des autochtones Rwandais | " | " |
| Kristina Nordling (f) | Swedish section of the Sami Council, Same Atnam | Sami | Jokkmokk, Sweden |
| Nadir Bekirov (m) | Meljis of Crimean Tatar People | Crimean Tatars | Simferopol, Ukraine |
| Adam Kuleit Ole Mwarabu (m) | Parakuiyo Community | The Parakuiyo Pastoralists, one of the Maa speaking groups | Handeni, Coast Region, United Republic of Tanzania |
| Laban Moreto (m) | Parakuiyo Community | The Parakuiyo Pastoralists, one of the Maa speaking groups | Handeni, Coast Region, United Republic of Tanzania |
| Ronald Barnes (m) | Indigenous Peoples and Nations Coalition working with Indigenous World Association | Yupiag, Eyak | Anchorage, Alaska, USA |
| Mililani Trask (f) | Na Koa Ikaika O Ka Lahui Hawai'i | Kanaka Maoli | Hilo, Hawaii, USA |

[a] According to the application forms, all the representatives are indigenous themselves.

[b] Indigenous populations represented, according to the application form.

[c] According to the application form.

Annex IV

LIST OF BENEFICIARIES RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES TO ATTEND THE 6TH SESSION OF THE WORKING GROUP TO ELABORATE THE DRAFT UNITED NATIONS DECLARATION ON THE RIGHTS OF INDIGENOUS PEOPLES
(16-27 October 2000)

| Name of Representative[a] | Organization[b] | Indigenous populations represented[c] | City, State[d] |
|---|---|---|---|
| Helen Corbett (f) | Indigenous Woman Aboriginal Corporation | Aboriginal | Perth, Australia |
| Megan Davis (f) | Faira Foundation Aboriginal Islander Research Action | South East Queensland Aboriginal groups: Wakka Wakka, Gubbi Gubbi and Yugambeh | Woollongabba, Australia |
| Maria Eugenia Choque Quispe (f) | Taller de Historia Oral Andina | Indigenous populations in La Paz, Oruro and Potosi | La Paz, Bolivia |
| Carlos Mamani Condori (m) | " | " | " |
| Moisés Gutiérrez Rojas (m) | Movimiento Revolucionario Tupaq Katari de Liberación (MRTKL) | Aymara, Quechua, Chaco of Bolivia | " |
| Eric Large (m) | International Organization of Indigenous Resource Development/Saddle Lake First Nation | Nehiyawak indigenous people (Cree) of the Saddle Lake First Nation | Edmonton, Canada |
| Daniel Ashini (m) | Innu Council of Nitassinan | Innu | Sheshatshiu, Labrador, Canada |
| Armand McKenzie (m) | " | " | Sept-Illes, Quebec, Canada |
| Alexis Tiouka (m) | Fédération des organizations amérindiennes de Guyane (FOAG) | Kali'na, Lokono, Teko, Wayanas, Wayapis, and Pahikweneh | Cayenne, French Guyana, France |

| Name of Representative[a] | Organization[b] | Indigenous populations represented[c] | City, State[d] |
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| Prajnalankar Bhikkhu (m) | Asian Buddhist Conference for Peace | Jumma in the Chittagong Hill Tracts | New Delhi, India |
| Johnson M.N. Ole Kaunga (m) | Organisation for Survival of Il-Laikipiak Indigenous Maasai Group Initiatives (OSILIGI) | Laikipia Maasai | Nanyuki, Kenya |
| John Pamita Letai (m) | " | " | " |
| Mohamed Aidouch (m) | Association nouvelle de la culture et des arts populaires (ANCAP) | Amazigh (Berbères) | Rabat, Morocco |
| Amina Zioual (f) | " | " | " |
| Narad Mani Rai Kirati (m) | Nepal Indigenous Peoples Development and Information Service Centre (NIPDISC) | Rai/Kirati, Limbu, Gurung, Magar, Tamang | Kathmandu, Nepal |
| Estebancio Castro (m) | Indian Treaty Council/Movimiento de la Juventud Kuna (M.J.K.) | Kuna, Maya, Maori and others | Panamá, Panamá |
| Fortunato Turpo Choquehuanca (m) | Comisión Juridica de los Pueblos de Integración Tawantinsuyana (COJPITA) | Indigenous populations in 73 districts, 950 communities | Arequipa, Peru |
| Gladys Vasquez Poma (f) | Comisión Juridica para el Autodesarrollo de los Pueblos Originarios Andinos (CAPAJ) | Aymara-Quechuas | Tacna, Peru |
| Tomas Alarcon (m) | " | " | " |
| Jose Molintas (m) | Cordillera Peoples Alliance | Ibalois and Kankanays | Baguio City, Philippines |

| Name of Representative[a] | Organization[b] | Indigenous populations represented[c] | City, State[d] |
|---|---|---|---|
| Michail Todishev (m) | Association of the Shor People | Shor | Novokuznetsk, Russian Federation |
| Rodion Sulyandziga (m) | Russian Association of Indigenous Peoples of the North (RAIPON) | 30 different indigenous populations | Moscow, Russian Federation |
| Jean Pierre Nzabandora (m) | Association pour le développement global des Batwa du Rwanda | Batwa | Kigali, Rwanda |
| Juvénal Sebishwi (m) | Association pour la promotion des Batwas | Batwa and Pygmies | " |
| Ian Aujare (m) | International Alliance of Indigenous -Tribal Peoples of the Tropical Forests/Literacy Association of Solomon Islands | Indigenous populations in the Solomon Islands | Honiara, Solomon Islands |
| Kristina Nordling (f) | Swedish section of the Sami Council, Same Atnam | Sami | Jokkmokk, Sweden |
| Nadir Bekirov (m) | Meljis of Crimean Tatar People | Crimean Tatars | Simferopol, Ukraine |
| Ronald Barnes (m) | Indigenous Peoples and Nations Coalition/Indigenous World Association | Yupiag , Eyak | Anchorage, Alaska, USA |
| Mililani Trask (f) | Na Koa Ikaika O Ka Lahui Hawai'i | Kanaka Maoli | Hilo, Hawaii, USA |

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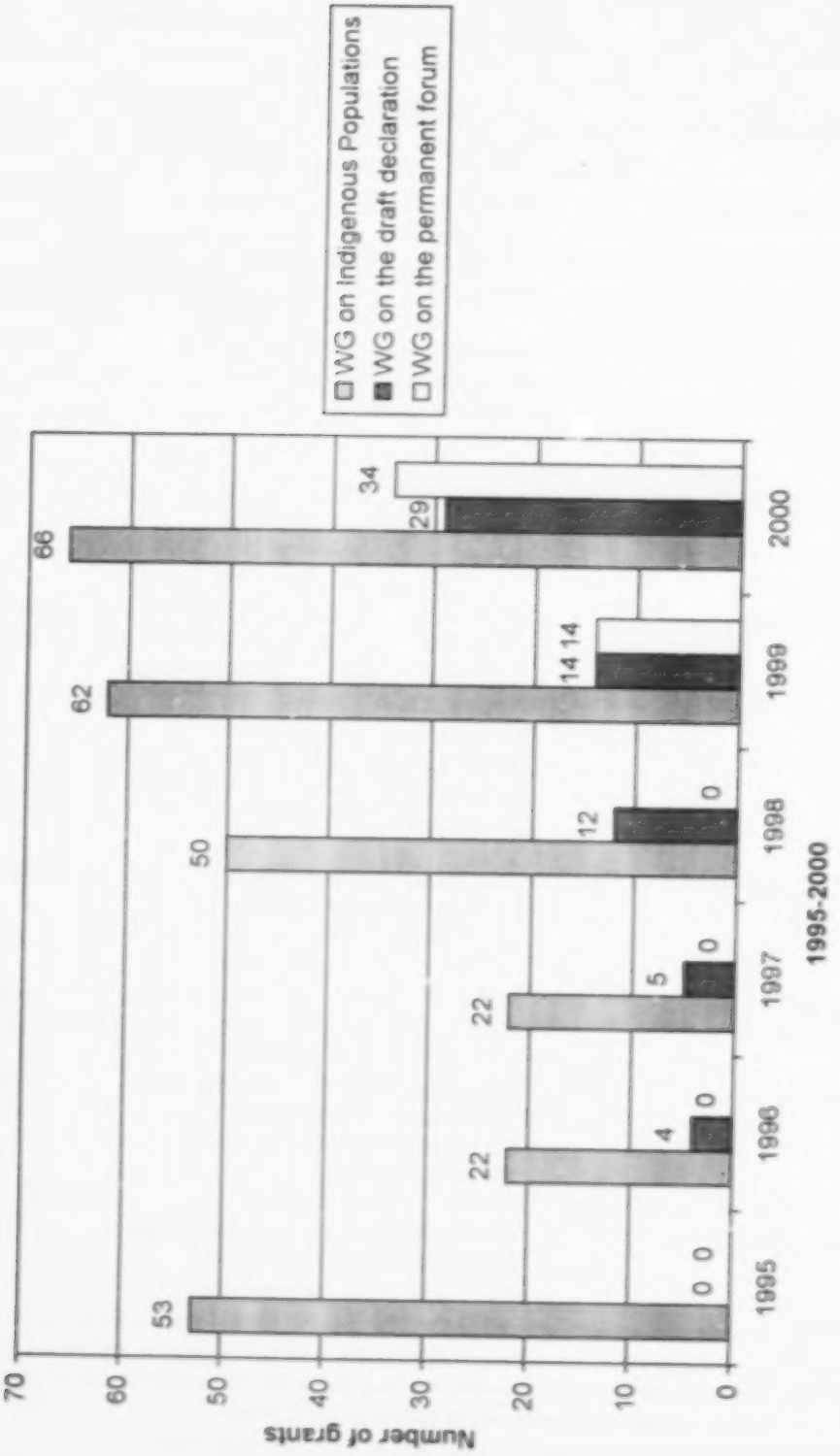
[b] All the organizations listed are in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council or are authorized to participate in the open-ended working group on the establishment of a permanent forum by the Committee of non-governmental organizations of the Council.

[c] Indigenous populations represented, according to the application form.

[d] According to the application form.

Annex V

GRANTS ALLOCATED PER WORKING GROUP (1995-2000)



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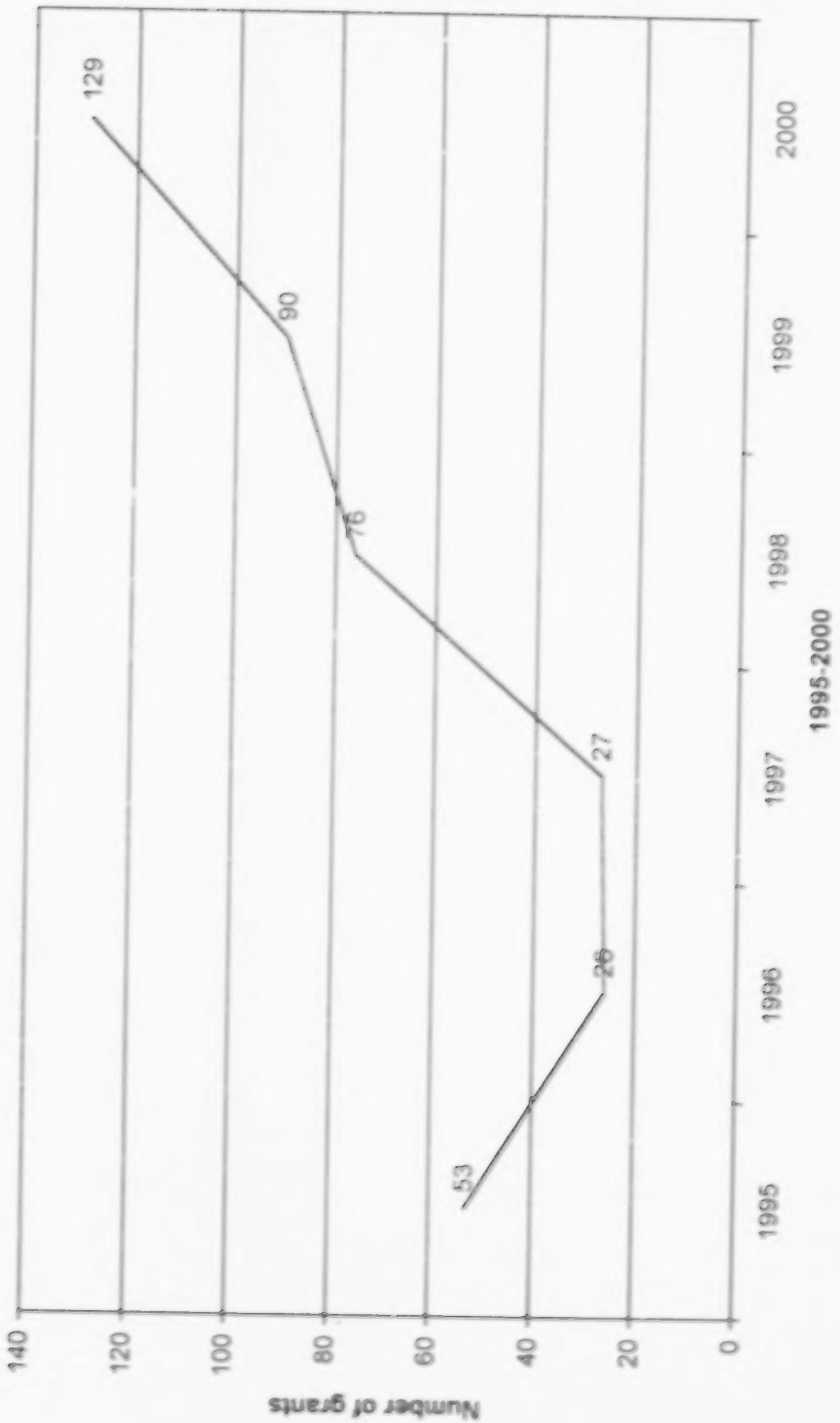
GRANTS ALLOCATED 1995-2000

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